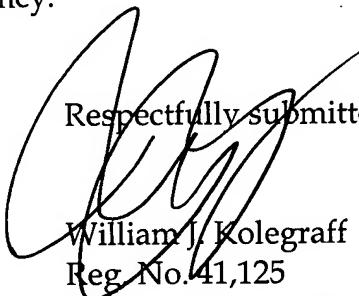


REMARKS

The applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that claims 1-20 would be allowable if amended to overcome the 35 USC 112 rejection. Accordingly, the applicant has amended claim 1 to more clearly define that the alignment protrusions are connected to, and are extending from, the tongue, and that the alignment protrusions are in a spaced-apart arrangement. In a similar manner, the applicant has amended claim 17 to more clearly define that the alignment members are connected to, and are extending from, the tongue, and that the alignment members are in a spaced-apart arrangement. The applicant believes that these amendments provided sufficient structural elements and interconnection of the elements to positively position and define how a tongue has alignment members spaced apart. The claims thereby define an integral structure that is able to function as claimed.

Applicant respectfully submits that pending claims 1--20 are now in a condition for allowance. If the Examiner would find it useful, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney.

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